



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Akihiko HARADA et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2826**

Application Number: **09/717,143**

Examiner: **Ahmed N. Sefer**

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For: **INSULATED GATE TYPE SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND  
METHOD FOR FABRICATING SAME**

Attorney Docket Number: **001545**

Customer Number: **38834**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 27, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 27, 2006, **the response date of which having been extended by 2 months to June 27, 2006**, Applicants amend the claims as follows and submit the following remarks.

**Amendments** to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.